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## LETTER RE: PETITION TO REINSTATE ABANDONED APPLICATION

Sir:

On April 11, 2002 we mailed a Petition to Reinstate in the above referenced matter. Attached to the Petition was a copy of the Notification of Abandonment, a copy of the postcard that was sent to the Patent Office indicating receipt by the Patent Office on March 28, 2000 of all documents which were filed in response to the Notice of Missing Requirements mailed on Jan. 7, 2000, together with copies of those documents.

We did not receive our return postcard back and thus have checked the status of this matter both on the internet and by calling the Petitions Department. We have this date been advised by the Petitions Department that there is no record of the Petition nor has it been entered. However, our check number 10992 for \$640.00 which accompanied the Petition to Reinstate has cleared our bank account. A copy of the front and reverse sides of our cancelled check are transmitted herewith.

Thus, we would appreciate it if the Petition to Reinstate can be considered.

We are transmitting copies of all relevant documents referred to above for your use.

Should there be any questions or issues relating to this request, we respectfully request that you telephone the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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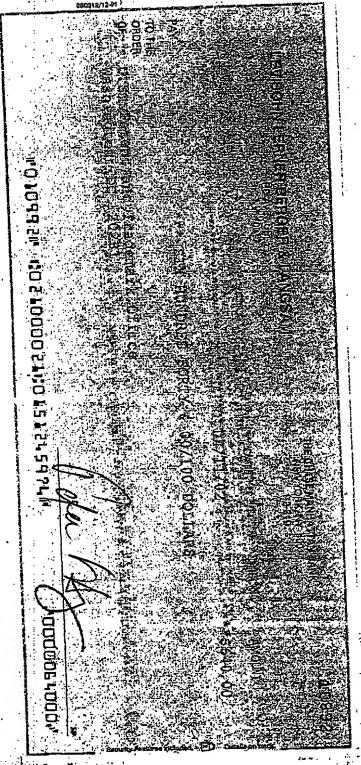
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In view of the enclosed submission, it is respectfully requested that the abandonment be rescinded and this case again be placed in its appropriate rotation for examination by the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office. In view of the fact that applicants duly replied to the above-identification of missing requirements in due time, it is not believed any fees are due to the Patent Office for this submission.

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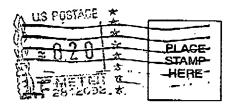
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#### Transmittal Letter

Further to the Notification of 7 January 2000, enclosed please find an executed declaration by the inventors, a request for an extension of time, and authorization to charge all fees to our deposit account, Account No. 02-2105. Two Verified Statements of Small Entity Status (independent inventor and small business concern) are enclosed as well.

Dated: March 22, 2000

Respectfully submitted,

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# Response to Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. §371 (DO/EO/US)

Receipt is acknowledged of the Notification of Missing Requirements dated 7 January 2000 ("the Notification"). A two month extension of the time provided for a reply and any further extensions, should they be deemed necessary, are respectfully requested.

Further to the Notification, enclosed please find an executed declaration. Please charge the surcharge fee for providing the declaration after thirty months, the extension fee and any other fees required to our deposit account, Account No. 02-2105. Please charge all fees as a small entity. Two executed Verified Statements of Small Entity Status are enclosed.

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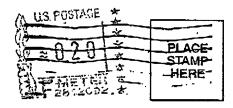
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